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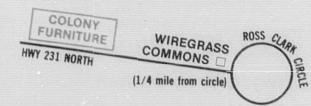
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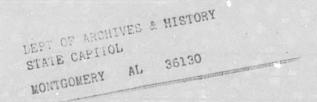
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Office funds was found not guilty last

week by a federal jury in Dothan.

had been abandoned for over 20

other postal services.

under investigation.

Community.

NUMBER 25

1987: A Look At The Year In Review

1 - An Elba man arrested for services rendered. assault - 3rd degree by Elba police officers was transferred to a Dothan held in the Coffee County Jail. Stinson, age 32, suffered severe injuries to the head.

8 - A rural Coffee County man variety of sex-related charges was sentenced to a mandatory sentence of nine years in prison this week by Circuit Judge Riley Green. Melvin Arnold was arrested last year and charged with two counts of producing obscene matter involving a person under the age of 17 and one count of second degree sodomy, second degree rape and first degree sexual abuse.

15 -Ala. Gov. George C. Wallace announced last week that he had appointed Thomas E. Head, age 38, of Elba, as the new district judge for Coffee County to serve the remaining two years of the term of Judge Gary McAliley, who will assume the post of circuit judge. Head has

22 - A young Elba man was killed early Saturday morning when the vehicle he was driving left Highway 189, north of Elba, and struck a tree. The victim, identified as Daniel Rowe (Danny) Ennis, age 19, apparently was traveling south on Highway 189 when he lost control of

children burned to death on Monday night, Jan. 26, when a fire swept through their home located near the Perry's Store Community, north of Kinston. County coroner Fred Moore identified the children as Jennifer Tyson, age 9, and Chris Tyson, age 7, both children of Mrs.

5 - Elba attorney Bill Stokes has filed a petition in an attempt to get a second hearing on a lawsuit challenging the results of the wet/dry election held in Elba during the general election in November, 1986. Circuit Judge Sam Adams dismissed the challenge after a motion by the city, but Stokes stated he would appeal the dismissal and last week fulfilled his promise.

12 - A news release from the Dorsey Corporation last week and announcements to employees of the ocal Dorsey Trailer plant indicate a definite agreement has been signed last week on the previously announced agreement to sell the assets of Dorsey Trailers to a private group of investors.

19 - Residents of Pine Cove Street and Pinedale Drive in Elba have organized a neighborhood crime watch program in order to curb thefts in that area of the city. The program is coordinated with the Elba Police Dept. and includes residents marking personal items and watching neighbors' homes while they are

26 - A picture on the front page entitled "Groundbreaking for New members, band director Danny military science and leadership discovered north of Elba. Davis and band officers with shovels skills. doing the ground-breaking on the soon-to-be-constructed new band MAY located in the area of the old gym

5 - Rev. Virgil Coleman, a former educator in Coffee County with 29 years experience, was appointed to the Coffee County 27, at a special called meeting. Coleman filled the vacancy created last week by the death of board chairman Frank Britt, who had served on the county board for over

12 - The Coffee County Commission met in regular session on Monday, March 9, at the courthouse in Elba and in an attempt to resolve agreed to seek legislation that would allow the commission to impose the tax under a new state law and in return divide the tax money among

19 - Paul Grummer, a native of hospital early Christmas Day after Conway, Ark., with 13 years expersuffering serious injuries while being ience in hospital administration, has been named the new administrator Dothan. Grummer holds a master's arrested in February, 1986, on a degree in business administration digital switch. from the University of Florida.

> 26 - The months-old talk in the area of the pending sale of Dorsey Trailers has climaxed with the official change of ownership last week. The new management team will include a lot of faces long associated with the company and familiar with the people of Elba. The announcement was made by Dorsey's new president Marilyn Marks, formerly a vice-president of the Dorsey Corporation.

attorney in the second district since in the announcement was the announcement of the disaster

> will be honored with a reception on former county official.

wife's lover. Easton "Buddy" Mullis, age 43, was charged with Edward Nelson, age 55, a resident of rural Coffee County who was kidbridge near the Glenwood

23 - The annual Miss Elba escape. pageant was held Saturday night, April 18, at the Elba High School 17-year-old daughter of Mr. and fall's National Peanut Festival.

30 - A 1982 graduate of Elba High JULY School has gone on to earn one of the nation's most prestigious awards for

across the state currently facing a age 87, was found dead in his Tigers lost their season opener to class action lawsuit seeking to apartment by Mrs. Brunease Ozark, but rebounded behind the board members are elected, and which Roberts rented a one-bedroom Coleman and the passing of Jason Supt. Clayton Bryant stated this apartment. Arrested on Tuesday, Johnson to defeat the highlyweek that he is confident that the board will reach the agreement that murder was Willie Simmons Board of Education on Friday, Feb. will be acceptable to both parties Jackson, alias Billly Boy, age, 36, a 17 - The Robert G. Stephens prior to the June 24 deadline.

> 14 - The annual Little Miss Elba pageant was held on Saturday night, will represent Elba in the National including Oggs' wife Marsha, who Peanut Festival in Dothan.

21 - General Telephone plans for

According to family members, David at the Elba General Hospital and includes the installation of fiber optic Coffee County Jail and denied bond medley of patriotic songs. Nursing Home, a facility being cable from Elba to New Brockton and on the murder charge. During the

> 28 - Seventy-seven graduates will money. march to the strains of "Pomp and Circumstance" by the Elba High in Tiger Stadium when Elba High School conducts its annual graduation ceremonies. Kevin David Killingsworth, class president, will deliver the main address entitled "Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow."

4 - The flowing well located at the courthouse square in Elba was AUGUST 2 - United States Secretary of once a source of pride to all the Agriculture Richard Lyng last week residents of Elba, and if Coffee

11 - The Elba City Board of should be completed by Aug. 7. Sunday afternoon, April 12, in the Education met Thursday night and main courtroom of the Coffee County bade a fond farewell to five teachers

four days, a jury of eight women and pulled a knife on two Elba policemen \$5 lab fee that was introduced at the four men took only six minutes to was apprehended last week after meeting. return a verdict of guilty against a eluding city and county law enforce-Georgia man accused of murder-for- ment officers for approximately one resisting arrest, menacing and summer vacation.

auditorium, and crowned Miss Elba 26, a sergeant with the Coffee week that it had upheld the death 1987 was Miss Jennifer Smith, lovely County Sheriff's Department, was sentence given to Billy Joe Magwood found dead at his residence in in the 1979 shooting death of Coffee head," according to authorities at total received to over \$1,000. Mrs. Fred Smith. Miss Tabitha Enterprise shortly after midnight County Sheriff Neil Grantham. In the scene. The man was identified Bryan was selected first runner-up Tuesday night. Preliminary findings making the announcement, the court and named second runner-up was indicate McKinnon died of a gunshot ruled that Magwood was properly Miss Michelle Free. The new Miss wound and no foul play is suspected. sentenced to death when a circuit Elba will represent the city in this He had served on the force five judge in Coffee County held a new

2 - Seven-year-old Adam ROTC excellence during a recent Herbert Holland of Daleville was a

> elderly widower who lived alone 10 - The Elba Tigers rolled up July 7, and charged with robbery and ranked Panthers. local man who was often seen about General Store, located in the town with Roberts.

Little Miss Elba for 1987 was lovely when former board member Butch discovered by neighbors. Stephens posed tobacco tax in the county runner-up. The new Little Miss Elba There were five other applicants, commission. recently received her certificate in 24 - Two hundred red, white and counseling.

given to the Elba City Council and over to the Coffee County Grand celebration of the United States Public Service Commissioner Jim Jury on a charge of capital murder Constitution, and several local Sullivan at the May 11 council and four counts of forgery. Willie dignitaries made speeches, while the ian at the Elba Public Library since meeting. Work already completed Simmons Jackson was placed in the Elba High School Band performed a 1969, was honored on Sunday leased by National Healthcare of to Enterprise, while additional work playing of the confession, Jackson includes the installation of a new apparently admitted hitting elderly OCTOBER Elba resident Elmo Roberts after the man refused to give the assailant

> School Band Friday night at 8:00 formerly of Elba, was reported to be female that occurred over the of local agencies. in critical condition in a Pensacola, weekend. According to information Florida, hospital this week with released by the Elba Police Dept.

6 - The special census being declared 23 Alabama counties as County Probate Judge Marion conducted in the City of Elba is served as an assistant district natural disaster areas and included Brunson and County Commissioner nearing completion and special Robert Stephens have their way and census supervisor Judy Price reports addition of Coffee County. The get the support of the surrounding that when the census is completed an community the well could very well accurate population count for the city proclamation came after south flow again! Anyone wishing to make will be available on a district system. Alabama was deluged by heavy rains a donation to the fund to repair the The special census, requested by during the final four months of 1986, well may do so by mailing checks to Elba officials after adoption of a plan the probate judge or Elba City Hall. to redistrict the city for the upcoming election, began on July 28 and

struck his neck on the lake bottom.

13 - The Elba City School Board Courthouse in Elba. The Coffee and one board member who retired met Thursday night in what was to County Commission has proclaimed from service. The board member be the last meeting before school that day in honor of the six-term leaving the local group was Butch started, but before it ended a special sheriff and the public is invited to Oggs, while teachers retiring in- meeting was scheduled. The good attend the ceremonies to show their cluded Mrs. Sammy Morrow, Mrs. news at the meeting was the receipt admiration and respect for the Joanne Rainer and Mr. Waylon of \$15,000 from the state, the first of three checks to be received from the removal of proration, while the 16 - After hearing testimony for 18 - An Elba man who reportedly special meeting was set to discuss a

20 - Akiko Kiiya, a resident of hire in the 1985 shooting death of his hour. Elba Police Chief John Ed Tokyo, Japan, received a brief white stated that officers Cobb and Bottoms responded to a report of a History from Coffee County Probate Judge Marion Brunson during a visit hiring two teenagers to kill James fight at a residence on West Street to the Coffee County Courthouse in and attempted to arrest Johnston Elba. The special visitor's father "Possum" Warren, age 37, only to works at a military base in Japan napped and later found dead under a have the subject pull a knife and then with Elba native Major Ken Manring flee the scene. Warren was arrested and it was arranged for the 19-yearand charged with disorderly conduct, old youth to visit Alabama during a

> 27 - The Alabama Court of 25 - Billy Wayne McKinnon, age Criminal Appeals announced last sentencing hearing last year.

> > SEPTEMBER

3 - A multi-specialty physician ceremony conducted by the U.S. victim of drowning in the Pea River group, which will work in con-Army and the George C. Marshall Saturday night while on a fishing junction with the Elba General Dothan, is suffering from a life-Foundation, at the Virginia Military trip. He drowned while on an Hospital, will probably begin its threatening illness that is defying pictured across the front page as Institute. Cadet William T. English, overnight campout with his father practice in Elba by mid-September treatment. It is a blood cancer that Elba's "Christmas Family" for 1987. son of Billy and Edna English, and friends. A group of campers, according to hospital administrator can be treated by bone marrow Head is district judge serving Coffee received the 1987 George C. including young Holland, was Paul Grummer. The clinic will be transplants, providing a suitable County and is pictured along with his Marshall award as one of over 300 reportedly setting hooks when the housed in the former medical offices donor can be found. A highly wife Chris and their four lovely college students from across the boat capsized and it was three days of Dr. Bancroft Cooper on Highland experimental treatment is available children - Anna, Alan, Jonathan and Band Room' shows school board nation recognized for excellence in before the youngster's body was Drive and will include the services of for people suffering from the Mary Katherine. at least six doctors on a rotating

marred the Fourth of July weekend over 450 yards in total offense as 7 - The Coffee County Board of in Elba and left the residents of this they claimed their first win of the and will cost a total of \$350,000 to Education is one of 26 counties community in shock. Elmo Roberts, season over Geneva 45-25. The change the method in which school Winston, who owned the home in play of Robert Wilson and Leon

Damascus Community, south of 16 - The Elba City School Board approximately \$2,000 in goods and May 9, at the Elba High School meeting, which is rather a routine money by a trio of burglars who fled auditorium and crowned as the new affair, opened with a bang last week in a pickup truck after being-Miss Andrea Carnley, the blonde- Oggs appeared with a complaint reported over \$700 in knives, \$660 in haired, blue-eyed daughter of Mr. concerning the board's recent cigarettes and other cash and items and Mrs. Kenneth Carnley. Brandie decision to employ Mike Carnley as were taken in the robbery, which Mann was chosen as first runner-up the new guidance counselor to occurred whie the owner was attendthe problems surrounding the pro- and Shelley McDaniel second replace retiring Waylon Sharpless. ing a special meeting of the county

> blue balloons were released last week at the conclusion of Elba's

the county's fire departments for the Elba area include completion of a 23 - After hearing the reading of Constitution celebration on the disease, but the cost if \$100,000 and \$4 million capital improvement a true confession, District Judge courthouse square. A large crowd the money must be paid in advance. project, according to information Thomas Head bound an Elba man was on hand for the bicentennial Donations are sought.

afternoon with a reception at the library attended by more than 150 guests. Mrs. Dowling began serving the citizens of Elba in 1969 and 1 - City and county law enforce- thousands of visitors to the library ment authorities are continuing their and always had time to give to investigations this week in the anyone with a special need. Special 30 - A 14-year-old Opp youth, abduction and rape of a 25-year-old plaques were presented by a number

partial paralysis after a skiing and the Coffee County Sheriff's continued his trek to every county in accident Friday near Gantt, Bryan Dept., the victim was abducted at the state last week with a Friday Daniels, age 14, was skiing with approximately 8:15 p.m. on Sept. 26 afternoon stop in Elba and during his members of a youth group from the at the Big/Little Store located in stop the popular governor told First Baptist Church of Opp when he downtown Elba and was forced to supporters and residents that he was apparently misjudged the depth of accompany the subject to several looking for good things to happen in the water while coming to shore and locations prior to the actual rape. Coffee County and Elba in the near future. Hunt hinted that his office 8 - A former Elba postal worker would be making an announcement charged with the misappropriation of in January that would "put Elba on over \$1,000 in United States Post the map.'

> Charles Wayne Harrison, a postal E. "Big Jim" Folsom, a native of employee for 22 years, was found not Elba and Coffee County, died guilty after only two hours of Saturday at his home in Cullman at deliberation. Harrison was accused the age of 79. Born into politics in of failing to report the sale of 1909, in rural Coffee County, James stamps, money orders and various Elisha Folsom was the son of Joshua Marion Folsom, a one-term county commissioner and the tax collector of 15 - Flames could be seen as far the county until his death. Folsom away as five miles Saturday night as never forgot the residents of south the old Damascus School burned to Alabama, and during his years as the ground. The wood frame school governor paved many of the roads

vandalism during the past several DECEMBER years, but was still a popular place for local teenagers to gather for a

game of basketball at the school's officials are continuing their investiindoor court, which was still gation this week into the weekend standing. Cause of the blaze is rape of a woman who was reportedly abducted in Elba, raped and held captive for approximately 15 hours. 22 - The Alabama Highway Dept. According to Elba Police Chief John announces that work has begun on a Ed White, a 20-year-old woman was bridge over the old railway line on checking her mailbox at the Elba Highway 87 south of Elba. The road Post Office at approximately 9 p.m. will be closed to the public from when a white male with a pistol Highway 84 to County Road 25 approached her and forced her into during the work and traffic will be her car. He later raped the victim detoured along the old River Road and held her until her escape.

until the road vinds back to 87. 29 - The 3-day search for a Coffee president Mike McGuire is pictured County man and his estranged wife on the front page presenting a check came to an end last Wednesday in the amount of \$500 to County night when law enforcement officers Commissioner Robert Stephens to be found the couple at the man's rural used in the renovation of the flowing Coffee County home with the man well and fountain on the courthouse holding a butcher knife to his wife's square in Elba. The donation was neck threatening to "cut off her the largest received and brought the

as Mickey Parks, who had apparently held his estranged wife, Release Center voted this week to Deborah Parks, hostage since donate \$100 from the Inmate Sunday night when he took her from Welfare Fund to the Coffee County a trailer of a man near the Jack Dept. of Human Resources to be used to buy fruit for needy families in Elba. Mr. Weyman Snipes, an inmate, also made a donation of several bags of candy to be given to 5 - Mary Bruce, 14-year-old Elba youth.



PATRICK HONORED The Elba Police Department held its annual Christmas dinner recently and chosen as the department's "Police Officer of the Year'' by his fellow officers was Michael Juan Patrick. The award was presented by Police Chief John Ed White. Patrick has been employed with the Elba Police Department since June, 1986 and is married to the former Terry Fugit, of Elba, and has two sons. Patrick is a second degree black belt in Tae Kwon Do Karate and is a karate instructor.

men shall be lovers of their own

selves, covetous, boasters, proud,

parents, unthankful, unholy, without

natural affection, truce breakers,

false accusers, incontinent, fierce,

lovers of pleasures more than lovers

silly women laden with sins, led

away with divers lusts, ever learning

Princel Kelley, Mrs. Nellie C.

***The Community Fellowship

Program will be held Sunday, Jan.

3, at 6 p.m. at St. Peter Baptist

Church, 8th Ave., Andalusia, Rev.

I.F. Feagins, pastor.
Theme will be "Move Forward,

Unity and Knowledge." Scripture -

Ephesians 4.

but denying the power thereof; from ourselves.

despisers of those that are good,

Bob Folsom & Hollis Matthews Retire From Fire Dept.

Volunteer Fire Dept. after serving the community for a combined 80 years as members of the depart- and dedication," stated Bill record.

tinuously until his retirement in of this community.

Bob Folsom and Hollis Matthews November, 1987, while Matthews Crawford, secretary of the local

"The men served when the funds recently have retired from the Elba joined the department in March, and equipment were not the best, 1951, and also retired in November, but they never missed a call, and "Both men served with honor both boasted a perfect accident

"All the members of the Elba Folsom joined the department in department, "and they donated Fire Dept. are proud to have served September, 1945, and served con- many long hours serving the people with these men and learned from their many years of wisdom.

Pallbearers, who were students

of Mrs. Prestwood, were Ben

Wilson, Kenneth Sanders, Eric

Wilson, Bill Eagerton, Ted Fillingim

RODERICK EARL WILLIAMS [Tweety Bird]

Mr. Roderick Earl Williams, age 23, of Elba, died Dec. 17, 1987, in and Mrs. Cornell Coleman, Haines Flowers Hospital in Dothan Funeral services were held Dec. Myers, Fla.; and other relatives. 21, at 2 p.m. from Harris Temple Church of God in Christ, Elba, with JIMMIE PAYNE PRESTWOOD Bishop W.T. Harris and Elder Hirron Williams officiating. Burial 84, of Roeton, died Friday, Dec. 25,

with Coleman Brothers Funeral Hirron Williams, Randy Williams ing. and Navonjor Williams, Elba; Rufus Williams, Ariton; Minister Jimmy and son-in-law: Dorothy and Max Coleman and Williard Coleman, Bowden, Panama City; one son and Cole, Gloria Williams, Beverly Prestwood, Montgomery; seven

an active week with a total of three

resisting arrest and public intoxica-

Ranch House Restaurant (11:56

Ave. (12:09 p.m.) and a request for

Activity included a wreck at p.m.). Taylor Mill Road (3:38 a.m.), a

burglary at Beaver Dam Restaurant

97 (10:34 p.m.) and a prowler on Ann

Activity included a subject with a

gun at Kennedy Estates (12:29

p.m.), a prowler at a home (7:05

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p.m.) and a prowler at a home on

(9:22 a.m.), a wreck at County 50 &

TUESDAY, DEC. 22

Brockton (11:43 p.m.).

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 23

Gunter Dunn (3:55 p.m.).

THURSDAY, DEC. 24

St. (11:09 p.m.).

Charlene Coleman, Stewart, Fla.; great-grandmother Hannah Roeton Baptist Church or to the Coleman, Elba; grandparents, Mr. City, Fla.; and Rosie Lee Neirces, Ft.

Mrs. Jimmie Payne Prestwood,

Survivors include his mother and Church, with the Rev. Harold Peters father: Mr. and Mrs. Thomas officiating. Burial was in the church Williams, Elba; one daughter: Erica, cemetery with Jackson-Bryan Stewart, Fla.; six brothers: Elder Funeral Home of Brundidge offciat-

Hooks, Kathryn and Connie grandchildren; six great-grandchild-Williams, Elba; a special loved one, ren.

Activity included a wreck on 189

a complaint of stray animals or

Guyton St. (7:23 p.m.) and a

shooting in progress at Kennedy

fight involving knives at Kennedy

Activity included a complaint of

Surgeries, Including:

Dr. Bancroft Cooper

Dr. Lance K. Dyess

Dr. Sam Sawyer

Dr. Ben Parrish

stray animals at Adkison (3:19 p.m.)

and a disturbance at West St. (9:55

Estates (11:39 p.m.).

ELBA POLICE REPORT

tion) and 3 traffic citations (speeding South (12:32 a.m.), a burglary at

- 2, and driving on the wrong side of King Circle (12:55 a.m.), a fire at a

the road). Following are daily home on County Rd. 25 (11:48 a.m.),

assistance with a disturbance in New on County Rd. 21 (8:11 p.m.) and a

The Elba Police Dept. reported Adkison (8:59 p.m.).

arrests (escape - third degree, SATURDAY, DEC. 26

Activity included a wreck at the Estates (9:39 p.m.).

a.m.), a theft at a home on Claxton SUNDAY, DEC. 27

JUNIOR MACK Mr. Junior Mack, age 62, of followed in Evergreen Cemetery 1987, in a Panama City hospital. Funeral services were held at 3 p.m. Dec. 27 from Roeton Baptist 27, 1987, in an Enterprise hospital. Funeral services were held Dec.

29, at 2 p.m. from the chapel of Survivors include one daughter directing. Syracuse, N.Y.; five sisters: Lula daughter-in-law, Alvin and Sue prise; three sisters: Katherine

Survivors include his widow: Mrs. Mabel (Brown) Mack, Enter- division of the county. Robertson, Enterprise; Margene the commissioners that he had possible site for the new building Adkison, Joann Blackman, both of Rt. 3, Elba; three brothers: J.C. Mack, Charles Mack, both of Rt. 3, Elba; Carlton Mack, Chattahoochee,

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HEDDY COX - Business Manage

Enterprise, died Sunday night, Dec. Commission Hunting For Site For Health Dept.

met in regular session on Monday, four or five acres, at a minimum of Searcy Funeral Home, with burial in Dec. 28, at the courthouse in 400 feet of frontage. Meadowlawn Cemetery with Searcy Enterprise and sent out the word Funeral Home of Enterprise that the hunt was on for a site on department building is here now, but which to construct a new county when I look at what we've done to health department for the Enterprise get such a building, I see nothing Commissioner Sid Averett told commissioners to actively look for a

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checked into land along the new and check into buying it soon so we bypass in Enterprise and was told by can get started." one landowner that his land was for The commission agreed that land sale at a cost of \$20-25,000 per acre. was needed for the construction of a 'I don't think the commission is new health department building in willing to pay such a high price for Enterprise and declared that if land," stated Averett, "especially anyone in Enterprise had four or five acres they wanted to sell to house the building, to contact the probate

Mr. Matthews - Mr. Folsom

judge's office in Enterprise as soon In other action at Monday's meeting, which lasted only 30 minutes, the commission: ***approved the low bid from Southern Fence of \$4,150 for fencing material to be used to erect a security fence around the county

happening for a long time. I urge all

***was informed that Commissioner Bill Faulk was honored as the top elected official in the state by the Alabama Association of Conservation Districts for his work with the ***agreed to appoint two workers to the grievance committee at the next meeting on Jan. 11; and,
***after reviewing the budge

agreed to give Commission Clerk Brunease Winston authority t borrow money to cover a projected shortage in the budget. The commission will meet in Elba during the months of January March, with all meetings scheduled for the second and fourth Mondays at 9 a.m., at the upstairs courtroom,

Registrars Set Dates The Coffee County Board of Registrars has announced its

schedule for the month of January and all county residents who wish to register to vote are encouraged to do so at one of the two locations served by the board. The board will be in Elba at the courthouse annex, next to the Coffee County School Board, on Jan. 4-5-6

7 - 8 - 11 and 12, and in Enterprise

at the courthouse on Jan. 13 - 14 - 15

18 - 19 - 20 - 21 and 22.

Hours are 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. at

knowledge of the truth. [II Tim. ***Thinking of you, praying for you: Bulletin Board Coleman, Mrs. Bessie Owens, Mrs. Mary Gibson, Mrs. Fannie M. Knight, Mrs. Gladys Mincey, Mrs. 1-800-325-0334. Susie Rowe, the Taylor family, Mrs.

ROTARY CLUB - Mon. Noon EASTERN STAR - 2nd & 4th Thur. ELBA MINISTERIAL ASSN. - Thur 8 a.m. - Ye Old Hickory Pit JAYCEES - 1st & 3rd Thur. 7 p.m. Beaver Dam Restaurant CITY COUNCIL - 2nd & 4th Mon.

LIONS CLUB - 2nd & 4th Tues. ELBA CITY SCHOOL BOARD - 1st AMERICAN LEGION - 1st Thur. 7:30 p.m. - Legion Hall, Troy

BOY SCOUTS - Mon. 7 p.m. RESCUE SQUAD - 2nd & 4th Tues. WATER & ELECTRIC - 2nd Tues. MASONIC LODGE #170 - 1st Sat. & 3rd Mon. 7 p.m. AA - Wed. 8 p.m. & Sun. 6 p,m. BAND BOOSTERS - 1st Mon. 7 Sr. Citizens Center NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS 5-6 HUNTERS ASSN. - 3rd Sat. 3

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W.L. Peterson; Matthew 1:21 and Christmas. Luke - Rev. A.R. Williams; sermon -Rev. A.R. Williams. The host church was Rocky Head

pastor, on Dec. 25, at 6 a.m.

pedaling. Clauge Peper -- Maste ***Christmas morning worship ser-vices were held at the Bethlehem Office

Crossroads), Rev. G. C. Thomas ***When I was young, I could remember anything, whether it had Devotional was led by Dea. happened or not. Mark Twain Grover Belcher, with invocations by ***Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Ellison, Mark Twain Bro. C.W. Williams and Dea. J.L. Elba, had a Christmas Eve family reunion Dec. 24, when their children Scripture was Luke 2:1-14, Rev. and families were home for

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Williams, Elba.

***Emancipation

red corsages.

District Educational Building, Hwy

Program at Johns Chapel A.M.E.

Church, Enterprise, Friday, Jan. 1 at

***The welcome sign hung high for

the Y.W.C.C. Auxiliary (Young

Women's Christian Council) of

Christ, Elba, Saturday night, Dec.

26, at Western Sizzlin' in Enterprise.

The ladies were dressed in the

Purpose of this Auxiliary is: to

Auxiliary colors: black dresses with

train young women in the local

Those attending the dinner included Rosa Coleman, Ruby H.

church's Christian service.

The occasion - dinner, of course.

Harris Temple Church of God In

Proclamation

until --. Begins prayer service.

12 noon. Speaker - Rev. Rogers.

25, 1988, at 6 a.m. ***Mrs. Nellie C. Coleman,

Luverne, and Miss Mary T. Adams,

Panama City, Fla., visited Mr.

James Adams and Mae C. Atcherson

of Elba during the Christmas

***Our opinion of people depends

less upon what we see in them than

***First annual Choir Celebration of

(Shiloh Community), Elder E.

my whole heart; before the gods will

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include special guest choirs: Green-

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Enterprise.
Choirs invited: Deliverance

Red River, New Brockton; Church of

the Living God, Andalusia; Church

Enterprise; Capitol City - Montgom-

Jerusalem - Enterprise; First Missionary Baptist - Andalusia; Mt.

- Enterprise; Manor Temple COGIC -

Raymond Family - Kinston; Shady

Pinkard; St. John - Roeton; New

- Mastor of Order - Deacon W.

Officers: Sis. Lisha Flowers, Sis.

Mistresss of Order - Sis. W.

Sunday's 2:30 p.m. service will

Theme: "I will praise thee with

Saturday's program will begin at

Sarah Grand

days perilous times shall come. For Grove A.M.E. Church, Elba, on Dec.

of God; having a form of godliness upon what they make us see in

For of this sort are they which the New Philadelphia Young Adult

creep into houses, and lead captive Choir will be held Jan. 9 - 10 in Elba

holidays.

Flowers, pastor.

I sing praise unto thee.'

Walton Beach, Fla.

Flowers.

Grow Spiritually in Attitude, Love, Temple - Geneva; Rocky Head, Elba;

prayer, Rev. C.L. Feagin will read Gospel Express - Ashford; Church of

Scripture, Welcome by Martha God By Faith - Ozark; St. Beulah -

Smith, occasion, Mr. Wilbert Enterprise; Johns Chapel AME -

Deacon J. Ward will lead in of God By Faith, New Brockton;

Music will be rendered by the ery; New Hope Holiness - Brun-

Five minute sermonettes will be Zion, Enterprise; New Bethel COGIC

Community Choir, the Gospel didge; Harris Temple - Elba; New

Rev. T. Brazzell - Attitude; Rev. Hartford; Youngblood Temple

Baxter - Unity; Rev. Bruce Nix - Opp; Bellwood COGIC - Bellwood;

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Knowledge; solo by Ms. Lula Cunningham Family

Baptist Church in Elba (Danley's Claudette Flowers

Children and families: Earnest Ellison Jr., Fairfax, Va.; Gwen Mrs. Mary L. Brown, Elba. Keith Ellison, Dothan.

His subject was "The Gift That Ellison Rush, Montgomery; Brenda son Allen, Birmingham; Ruby Hymns, Christmas carols and Ellison Roberts, Huntsville; Elder spiritual songs were sung with great Terrence Ellison, Montgomery; and Christmas Day, Mr. and Mrs. M.B. Church, Rev. A. R. Williams Ellison's guests for dinner were Mr.

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Andrew Robinson, Elba. Morning sermon - Elder E. Sconiers, Scripture: Psalm 126:3. The Lord hath done great things for us, whereof we are glad. Subject: He brought me from a mighty long way.

A LEARNER I learn that half knowledge of

Jill Smith Takes

Jill Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Smith of New In addition, Brett Bryan, son o

Bo Boyd, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Boyd of New Brockton, also showed his steers at this show and did an excellent job as well.

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Mich.; Mrs. Rosa Coleman and I learn that there is a surprising family, and Mr. Robert Earl kinship in human nature; I learn that it's a wise father who ***Watch night services - Mulberry knows his own son;
I learn that what we expect we

> I learn that there's more good than evil in this world; that age is a question of spirit; that youth is the best of life, no matter how numerous I learn how much there is to Virginia Church ***Mrs. Lucile Rideaux and Mrs.

Vera Williams prepared Christmas dinner for members of the Lindsey family at the home of Mr. Tillman Lindsey Dec. 25. included Grover and Eria Belcher Ernestine Kelley, Timothy Williams Warren Belcher, Glen Kelley Maria, Kimberly, Tony, Jana, Greg Marcus, Curtis, Tyrone, Wesley and Melissa and Brandon; Let Hammond, Montgomery, and C.W

never depend on my parents again

I asked them to send me \$600 for an

***Freedom is the right to be wrong,

**If 50 million people say a foolish

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

Have a good day and God bless!

John G. Diefenbake

Ellison, Grace Luckett, Melanease Williams, Evelyn Gulley and Jason. Shipman, Lillie M. Wade, Juanita Robinson, Emma Smith, Mary L. and 27, Ernestine Kelley and Eria Brown, Mary J. Jones, Bessie Belcher served dinner in the home of Owens, Odessa Robinson and Mary Grover and Eria Belcher to family Frances Daniels. nembers and guests: ***Happy New Year: Mrs. Ella M. Shipman, Mrs. Fannie Brooks, Mr. Evelyn Gulley, Bobby and Jason, and Mrs. Grafton Young, Mrs. Mary Vera Williams, Lucile Rideaux Magwood, Mrs. Hannah Coleman, Wiley Brooks, Juanita, and De-Nard Mr. and Mrs. John L. Bullard, Mr. Jim L. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. L.T. Wade and Mrs. Alice Blue. Milton Belcher, Betty and KiKi ***Pray that when you find yourself Montgomery; Tyrone Kelley, Kim,

in difficult circumstances, you will be a part of the solution, not a part of Maria, Brandon, Greg and Marcus, the problem. Open Windows
***The home of Mrs. Rosa L. D.J. Belcher, Grover Belcher, and Warren Belcher, Keesler AFB; Leu Coleman, Elba, was the place to be Sunday, Dec. 27, for her annual Grover and Eria Belcher Christmas Christmas dinner. Those enjoying the dinner were ***Patti Porter and Steve Williams MD. Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Ellison (Ruby) visited Evelyn Gulley and Warren ***The Kelley basketball court, Elba, Hwy. 166, was the place for

of Elba; Bishop W.T. Harris, Mrs. Mary Liza Smith, Minister Haynes, Ft. Rucker: Elder and Sis. Campbell. Vincent, Rufus and Michel; Glenda tight basektball games Sunday Free, Mary L. Brown and Charlene; evening, Dec. 27. Mr. Keith Ellison, Dothan; Hazel Parker and Chris; Florence Barnes, Montgomery; Lois Russell and Byron, Montgomery; Debra Siler, Jamelle and James; Rolanda Jones, Troy State University, Mrs. Coleman and Tina. ***Ms. Rolanda Jones, Elba, was

chosen "Child of the Year" by the Business and Professional Women of the State Church of God in Christ at encyclopedia, and they sent me the the annual banquet in Birmingham, encyclopedia." Boone & Erickson Ms. Jones is a student at Troy not the right to do wrong State University. She is the daughter of Mrs. Mary Jean Jones, granddaughter of Mrs. Rosa Coleman and thing it's still a foolish thing.

Congratulations, Rolanda! ***He who has a secret should not only hide it, but hide that he has it to ERIA ***Out-of-town visitors for worshi

services at the Rocky Head M.B. Church, Elba, Sunday, Dec. were: Adelaide Carpenter Blakeley Bensalom, Pa.; Audrey William Bennett; Lydia, Melody and Stephen, Philadelphia, Pa.; Kenne and Jackie Crittenden, Tweedy, John (J.D.), Hephzibait, Ga.; Oti and Joyce Belcher Johnson, The and Kathy, Tuscumbia; and KiKi Belcher, Montgomery; Elder Emory and Dorothy Carpenter Sconiers, Neptune, N.J.; Daryl Crittenden and

Rev. A. R. Williams is pastor of Rocky Head M.B. Church.

another's life leads to false judg-

Grand Champion

Award At Show

Brockton, captured the Grand Champion feeder steer award at the East Alabama Open Steer Show This show was held in Russell County. Congratulations to Jill. Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Ray Bryan of Elba, exhibited the Reserve Champion at this show. Congratulations to Brett.

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S. Army Ordnance Center and in troubleshooting, replacement, and School, Aberdeen Proving Ground, adjustment of components and The course provides instruction

for soldiers to maintain wheeled Chapel High School.

Players were Theo Johnson, Tuscumbia; Warren Belcher, Keesler AFB, MS; Wiley Brooks, Enterprise; Tony Kelley, Steve Williams, Marcus Kelley, Belcher, Scott Kelley, Derrick Hooks **All Hair Services** and Curtis Kelley, Elba. ***Overheard on campus: "I'll

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Shane Jerelle Williams, son of Timothy and Tina Williams of Elba, celebrated his second birthday with a party on Dec. 25. Grandparents of the "Christmas

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Senior Citizens Have Christmas Dinner

By: WANDA SASSER

When the members of the Senior Citizens of Cordelia Street met for their weekly meeting on Dec. 17 it was for our annual Christmas party.

News was exchanged and the Coodson, Wastie Lou Goodson, Clayton Goodson, Frances Shaboo and Lorie was the weather and news of Limbo William Schmidt, Louis Limbo William Wil

visitors and visiting.

Gifts were exchanged by members - what a happy time for all.

A delicious lunch, with all the land by the state of the state rimmings, was served to the Jacobs, Anna Stoudamire, Bob

topic was the weather and news of Jimbo, William Schmidt, Lovie following:
Sarah Smith, Zadie Bouyer, Mary
Longfellow, Mary Smith and
Folsom, Betty Henderson, J.C.
Pope, Steve Bragg, Cora McBride,
M. Boling and Wanda Sasser.

Shane Williams Is Two Years Old

baby" are Junior and Mildred Kelley and C.W. and Vera Williams of Elba, while great-grandparents include Robert and Ruth Belcher, Princel and the late Bob Kelley, Tillman and the late Nettie Lindsey and Artis and the late Mattie Mae Williams, all of

Shane Jerelle Williams

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ELBA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

BREAKFAST Monday - Cereal, Juice, Milk Tuesday - Cheese Toast, Juice, Milk - Pancake, Syrup, Bacon, Milk Thursday - Eggs, Toast, Jelly, Juice, Friday - Biscuit, Jelly, Sausage, Milk

LUNCH Monday - Fish, French Fries, Cake, Fruit, Bread, Milk Tuesday - Corn Dog, Catsup, Blackeye Peas, Fruit, Marshmallow Crackers, Milk Wednesday - Chicken Wiggle, Peas, Thursday - Taco Salad, Doritoes, Shredded Cheese & Lettuce, Friday - Fried Chicken, Rice, Field Peas, Apple Turnover, Rolls, ELBA HIGH & MIDDLE SCHOOL JAN. 4-8 BREAKFAST

Monday - Cereal, Juice, Milk Tuesday - Cheese Toast, Juice, Milk Wednesday - Pancake, Syrup,

Thursday - Eggs, Toast, Jelly, Juice, Friday - Biscuit, Jelly, Sausage, Milk LUNCH

Monday - Hamburger Steak, Gravy, Rice, Turnips or Mixed Vegetables, Candied Sweet Potatoes, Rolls, Milk Tuesday - Ham and Cheese Sandwich, Potato Salad, Green Beans, Brownie, Milk

Wednesday Chicken 'N' Dumplings Garden Peas, Cranberry Sauce, Jello with Fruit, Cookie, Milk Thursday. - Pizza, French Fries, Catsup, Butterbeans, Fruit Cup,

Friday - Hamburger on Bun, Lettuce, Tomato, Dill, Onion, Potato Tots - Catsup, Milk

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EARLY FILES

JANUARY 5, 1978 ***Sheriff Neil Grantham is shown pinning the badge on new deputy John White. White has been a member of the campus police at Troy

State for the past six years.
***Mr. Floyd H. Willis is a proud grandfather for more than one reason. Randolph Shon Willis is his first and only grandson and also the first baby born in the new year in the Columbus, Ga. - Phenix City area. Parents are Spec. 4 and Mrs. Randolph F. Willie (Bonnie Drewery) of Columbus. **Les Lee, a first-quarter freshopen six days a week with two

man, was among the students at Troy State University named to the Dean's List for the fall quarter. He has a straight 3.0 record. ***Little Miss Jessica Jill Windham celebrated her first birthday on Dec. 18 with a party in her home, with Holly Hobbie theme. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Windham Jr. and has a brother Jack Windham III. Present at her party were Christie Oggs, Connie Nunn, Bret Bimbo; grandmothers Mrs. William Colvin and Mrs. Jack Windham, and great aunt Mrs.

Harold Deal.
***Mr. and Mrs. Willie Tyson announce the birth of a son, Demorricus Christopher, on Oct. 18 FORTY YEARS AGO at Coffee Gen. Hospital, Enterprise. He weighed 6 lbs. 8 ozs. Grand-parents are Mrs. Stella Tyson of Elba of Will M. Cooper, died at her home

TWENTY YEARS AGO JANUARY 4, 1968 ***Pete Dorsey is pictured with a

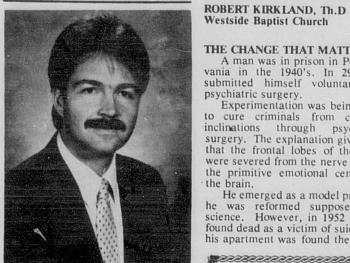
216-lb. Warsaw Grouper he caught in the Gulf of Mexico on a fishing trip in December. **Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Burch were Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Burch, Rita and Lynn of Haines City, Fla., and Mr. and Mrs. A.J. Burch and Billy of Pensacola.
***Elmer Twilley and daughters Traci and Donna returned to their home in Birmingham Tuesday after visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ethridge Twilley. ***Among those attending the Cotton Bowl game in Dallas Monday

were Mrs. Grace Waters, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sawyer and Mr. and Mrs. ***Miss Mabel Brunson and Mrs. W.L. English joined Mrs. English's children and their families for Christmas dinner at the home of her daughter, Miss Nell English, in

***Want Ads: Bargain: 1958 Oldsmobile 88, 39,050 miles. One owner, excellent condition, good tires. Georgia Matthews, 897-2337 . . . Lost in town Saturday: Prescription sunglasses. Red, black and white mingle. Call Sylvia Terrell-897-6708. *** Mrs. Lillie Jones Brock, age 72, died Friday morning, Dec. 29, Elba General Hospital. Funeral services were held Sat at 10:30 a.m. from First Baptist Church, New Brockton, with Rev. Frank McWhorter officiating, burial in New Dr. Dortch Is New Brockton City Cemetery. Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. George L. Collier, Elba; two sons: Ben Brock, Elba, and Dr. Jack Brock, Dadeville a brother M.O. Jones, New Brock-

New Brockton, and Mrs. L.W. Snellgrove, Ozark. THIRTY YEARS AGO JANUARY 2, 1958 **Through the Keyhole, with Mrs. Troy was the setting for a lovely his wife Judy have two children,

***Kinston: Misses Pinkie and Ethel Pridgen of Geneva were holiday guests of Misses Cora Laura and Lillie Jernigan . . . Roddie and



First Baptist Pastor

Dr. J. Douglas Dortch Jr., native ton; two sisters: Mrs. Wade Sawyer, of York, Ala., is new pastor at Elba First Baptist Church. He comes to Elba from the Lebanon Baptist Church of Lebanon, Ky. Dr. Dortch holds the M.Div. ThM., and Ph.D degrees from the Southern Baptist Theological Robert Cannon: The Country Club in Seminary in Louisville, Ky. He and

party on Friday evening, Dec. 27, at 8 o'clock when Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Murphree and Mr. and Mrs. Tom

Murphree and Mr. and Mrs. Tom

Dr. Dortch's first Sunday at his Vaughan Sr. entertained Susan new pastorate was Dec. 27.

ANSWERS TO YOUR BIBLE QUESTIONS

QUESTION:

WHAT DOES THE BIBLE SAY ABOUT THE DONATION OF BODY ORGANS AT DEATH?

Although the Bible does not speak directly to this question, certain principles may be considered in answering this question. The foremost principle is the sanctity of life. From the time God breathed into Adam the "breath of life," and "man became a living soul" (Gen. 2:7), life has been very precious. Cain was cursed for shedding the innocent blood of his brother Abel. The sixth commandment warns, "Thou shalt not kill" (Ex. 20:7). The principle of the sanctity of life is important, because the purpose of organ transplants is usually to save or improve

Another principle to consider is the sanctity of the human body. In an age when people commonly abuse their bodies with alcohol, tobacco, and other drugs, we should remember Paul's question "Know ye not that your body is the temple of the Holy Ghost which is in you, which ye have of God, and ye are not your own?" (I Cor. 6:19) Because of the sanctity of the human body, the Israelites were forbidden from cutting their bodies (Lev. 19:28). This prohibition was not planned to prevent surgery, or organ transplants, but was designed to avoid pagan practices such as was done by the priests of Baal in their contest with Elijah at Mount Carmel (I Kings 18:28). Paul emphasized the importance of the body as he called the church the body of Christ

The sanctity of life, and the sanctity of the human body, are both preserved when body organs are donated at death. Because human life is so valuable, man must use all of his medical knowledge to preserve life. This includes the use of organ transplants, as well as skin grafts, and blood transfusions, which would fall into the same category. As long as the purpose of these medical practices is to preserve life, they should be acceptable to God. Some have envisioned a situation in which one life might be taken to preserve another life. This, of course, would be wrong, because one life, such as the life of a rich or powerful person, is not more valuable than the life of a poor, or uninfluential

Despite the modern desire to preserve the body after death, the natural order of things is for the body to decay. Over the centuries, millions of human bodies have returned to the dust (Eccl. 3:20). Decay of the bodies is no problem, because in the resurrection, the natural body will be raised a spiritual body, "For this corruptible must put on incorruption, and this mortal shall put on immortality" (1 Cor. 15:53). It will not matter in the resurrection if body organs have been donated to others, because the saved will have their new, incorruptible, resurrection bodies.

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Murphree and Tom Vaughan on the occasion of their 16th birthdays. Gregory Salter, small sons of Mr. and Mrs. B.E. Salter of Brewton are spending the week with their grand-***Mr. and Mrs. Ben Frank Conner parents, Elder and Mrs. J.L. Christmas holidays in Atlanta a and daughter Kayren of Hopeville, Ga., and Miss Mary Linda Vickers of ***Mrs. John B. Wise and sons, John Milton and Mack, have Dorsey and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Decatur spent last weekend with relatives here.

***Mr. and Mrs. Dan Fred Prescott

John Milton and Mack, have returned from Bascom, Fla., where

and children of Montgomery were weekend guests of his mother, Mrs. they visited Mrs. Wise's mother.

***Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Bradsha ***Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Bradshaw, ***One new case of tuberculosis was reported in Coffee County during the month of November ***Stephenson's Barber Shop now

ience in flat tops. Haircuts - 60 cents; flat tops - \$1.00. ***Andy Kimmey of the University of Alabama is spending the holidays with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. J.M.

barbers, one with 10 years exper-

Kimmey. guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Ferrel Young and son of Pensacola; Mr. and Mrs. Brock Ingram and son of Enterprise; Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Gunter and son of New Brockton, and Mr. and Mrs. Drexel Cook and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Young and family and Mr. and Mrs. Fred

JANUARY 1, 1948

in the Liberty Community early in the morning of Dec. 24. She was apparently well as usual the day preceding her death, and was busy baking cakes and other Christmas preparation. Mrs. Cooper was the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W.R. McCart, and was born and raised in the community in which she

Snipes. Toys were collected from area residents, repaired and readied by Ft. Rucker personnel, and re-distributed in each area of the Wiregrass.

Church Directory

OPERATION SANTA CLAUS 1987 . . . Personnel from Elba Work Release

Center again were instrumental in making Operation Santa Claus another

success. Inmates assisted Community Resource Specialist Glenda Smith two

days in preparing the toys for distribution. "We could not have done all this without their help," said Smith. "They made a tremendous effort and

worked solid for two days in preparing the items and then on the day of

distribution," said Smith. Pictured are [Kneeling, L-R]: Willie Edge, Robert

Snell, Willie Starke, Tracey Edwards; Standing; Glenda Smith, Weyman

PASTOR'S CORNER

THE ELBA MINISTERIAL ASSOCIATION meets each .Wed. 11:45 - Hickory Pit HOUR OF TRUTH - WELB 1350 AM - 1:30-2:00 p.m. - Sun. - Rev. Jonas Rodgers

MOMENTS FOR THE MASTER WELB - 6:20 a.m. - 12:27 p.m. -3:57 p.m. - Bob Prichard NEW ZION BAPTIST CHURCH Willie L. Peterson Sunday School . . . 10 Morn. Worship . . . 11 1st & 3rd Sundays

Westside Baptist Church

psychiatric surgery.

THE CHANGE THAT MATTERS

A man was in prison in Pennsyl-

submitted himself voluntarily to

Experimentation was being done

o cure criminals from criminal

surgery. The explanation given was

that the frontal lobes of the brain

were severed from the nerve cells of

the primitive emotional centers of

he was reformed supposedly by science. However, in 1952 he was

found dead as a victim of suicide. In

his apartment was found the loot of

He emerged as a model prisoner;

inclinations through psychiatric

vania in the 1940's. In 2947 he

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH Douglas Free Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m. Morn, Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. WOODLAND GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH - Lanny Shepard Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship 11:00 a.m.

WESTSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH Robert Kirkland

Nursery for church activities ALBERTON BAPTIST CHURCH Hubert McWaters Sunday School . . . 1 Morn. Worship 1 Training Union 5:00 p.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meet . . . 7:00 p.m.

DAMASCUS BAPTIS CHURCH - Mitchell Smith Sunday School . Morn. Worship . Visitation Thursday nights RA's & GA's - Wed. . . 7:00 p.m. ZION CHAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH - James Creech

Sunday School . . . Morning Serv. . . . Youth Choir Prac. . . MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH -Kenneth Fallon Sunday School Morn. Worship . Training Union . Even. Service .

NEW EBENEZER BAPTIST CHURCH - Richard Larson Sunday School . . . Morn. Worship . . . Youth Choir Prac. .

HARRIS TEMPLE COGIC -Bishop W.T. Harris
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.
Noon Service . . . 11:00 a.m. YPWW 6:00 p.m. Bible Study & B. Band - Tues. 6 Pastor's Aid . . Fri. 7 p.m.

WHITEWATER BAPTIST Morn. Worship . . . Church Training . . . Wed. Prayer Meet. Morn. Worship 11:00 a.m.

suicide note read: "I sentence

change that occurs within human

nature without the presence and

power of Jesus. Paul wrote, "... be

your mind." (Romans 12:2). The

word translated "transformed" is

when a worm changes into a butterfly and when a tadpole

Paul's words in Romans 12:

change can also occur in human lives, but that kind of change is

change the form.

changes into a frog.

brought only by Christ.

'metamorphosis' which means to

There is probably little real

myself to death for my misdeeds."

formerly Sara Fuller, left Thursdy for

***Miss Frances Maddox spent the

guest of her cousin, Miss Edna

Stephens attended the Blue and

Gray game in Montgomery

Harvey Bowlin Sunday School . Morn. Worship . . . Evangelistic Serv. Wed. Prayer Serv.

Sunday School Morn. Worship . Bible Study . Wed. Prayer Serv.

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. 6:00 p.m.

Even. Serv.

Youth Day - 3rd Sun - Elder Terry Ellison, Speaker Choirs - 1st & 3rd Saturday

FAITH CHAPEL COMMUNITY Wed. Prayer Serv. . . . 7:00 p.m. ELBA CHURCH OF GOD

TAYLOR HILL BAPT CHURCH - Jim Danford BAPTIST

ELBA CHURCH OF GOD OF PROPHECY - J.E. Wesley Sunday School . . . Morn. Worship . . Sunday Afternoon . . . 5:30 p.m. Wed. Service . . . 7:00 p.m.

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Even. Service 6:00 p.m.
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before 1st & 3rd Sundays MT. ZION HOLINESS CHURCH Curtis & Peggy Pouncey orn. Worship . .

NEWBIA BAPTIST CHURCH

J.I. Crocker Sunday School .

Morn. Worship

INO ASSEMBLY OF GOD Wesley D. Ard Sunday School . . . Morn. Worship . . . Wed. Prayer Meet .

ELBA CHURCH OF CHRIST Bob Prichard Bible Study . . . Morn. Worship . . Wed. Bible Study . . . 7:00 p.m. NEW HAVEN TABERNACLE ASSEMBLY OF GOD - Calvin Sunday School . Morn. Worship . . Even. Service . . . Wed. Even. Serv. .

VICTORIA BAPTIST - Larry

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NEW BROCKTON METHO-

DIST - William [Bill] Griggs Sunday School 9:45 a.m Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m

FAIRVIEW BAPTIST . .

Wed. Prayer Meet . . . 7:30 p.m.

ELBA FIRST ASSEMBLY OF

GOD - Larry Powell
Sunday School . 9:45 a.m.
Morn. Worship . 11:00 a.m.
Even. Service . 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Service . 7:00 p.m.

Youth Scene - Wed. . . 7:00 p.m.

SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH

ZOAR COMMUNITY CHURCH

Richard & Pat Jones
Sunday School . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . 11:00 a.m.
Even. Service . 6:00 a.m.
Thursday Serv. 7:00 p.m.

Campbell Sasser Sunday School . . . Morn. Worship

Training Union . Even. Service . .

Wed. Prayer Meet .

Doster Sunday School . Morn. Worship .

Choir Practice

J.L. Edgar Sunday School

Morn. Worship . Sun. Even. . . Wed. Service . .

Even. Worship .

Even. Worship . .

Randall Pearson Sunday School Morn. Worship . . .

Jan. 1

Evangelistic Serv. Wed. Bible Study NEW PHILADELPHIA - Church Of God - Loreari Flowers Sunday School 10:30 a.m Morn. Worship 12:00 2nd & 4th Sunday . 11:00 a.m. . 5:00 p.m. . 7:00 p.m. WPWW . ELBA DELIVERANCE TABER. Darriel & Gert Riley Sunday School . . Morn. Worship . Even. Serv. . . Wed. Service .

. 9:45 a.m. 11:00 a.m.

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BASIN BAPTIST CHURCH Morn. Worship Wed. Pray. Serv. Sunday School . . Morn. Service . . Youth Service . .

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[Kinston] - Robert Bowen Sunday School 9:45 a.

. 10 & 11 a.m

. 6:0) p.m.

Wed. Prayer Serv. Frl. Home Prayer MT. VERNON ASSEMBLY OF GOD - Donnie Earls Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship . . 5:30 p.m NEW CHAPEL BAPTIST Sunday School . . . Morn. Worship . .

Wed. Prayer Meet . . . 7:00 p.m. BLUFF SPRINGS BAPTIST Donnie Marier Sunday School . 10:00 a.m . 11:00 a.m. . 6:00 p.m. . 7:00 p.m. . 7:00 p.m. Morn. Worship . Church Training . Even. Worship . . Wed. Prayer Serv. ROCKY HEAD M.B. CHURCH A.R. Williams Sunday School 10: Morn. Worship 11: 2nd & 4th Sundays

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Williams Bible Study . Even. Service . . . Wed. Bible Study . DORCAS BAPTIST CHURCH -10:00 a.m Sunday School MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH

Wayne Webber Sunday School Morn, Worship . 11:00 a.m. . 5:00 p.m. . 6:00 p.m. Train. Union . . Even. Service . .

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MULBERRY HEIGHTS CHURCH

Wed. Prayer Serv. . . 7:00 p.m., OF CHRIST - R.B. Williams
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Wed. Bible Class . . . 6:30 p.m.

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Margaret **Closed Friday** Open Saturday

Jan. 2



just want to share with those who need us at this time, and let them know they are not forgotten," said Rev. Williams

Sun. Even.

Fri. Even.

Can You Write Poems?

Loves Auburn

O oldest child

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Oysters I like

A stands for and

V stands for very sweet

A Auburn fans let go

H happy Y yes that's me - Timothy

Justin is my brother

Mrs. Dyess' fifth-grade reading

group recently studied the different types of poems. She then decided to let the students choose a type of

poem they would like to write. They

chose to write name poems. A name

poem is a poem where the author uses his/her own name to describe

himself/herself and it should

pertain to him/her. Below are examples of the fifth-grade's name

Just like to play and watch TV

Me like to ride my go-cart

Yawns a lot in the morning

Eats candy

Eats hot dogs

Views From

bills, but it was fun while it lasted!

The Pressbox By, Ricky Mularz

Another Christmas has come and gone and everything went pretty much as hoped at the Mularz house as our 4-year-old got just about everything she wanted and only broke one toy before noon on Christmas Day. It took a little

TIGER PRIDE NEEDS TO SURFACE ON BASKETBALL COURT

The Elba Tigers won only five games all last season and with no real superstars coming back, this year's basketball season was pretty much written off as another losing experience even before the season began. I've watched the Tigers play a couple of times this season, and while I'll admit the team doesn't have as much talent as many area teams, the Tigers do have a couple of quality athletes and unless the players actually throw in the towel I think the squad can better last year's dismal record!

spirit out of the holidays Saturday when the mailman started bringing the

It won't be easy, for sure; however, it's not human nature to get whipped every time one competes, and the Tigers have some players who have never enjoyed losing in any sport and I think it's just a matter of time before the pride of the players begins to get hurt and they come back with a vengeance. It's not natural for Elba athletes to lose in any sport and I can't believe this year's basketball team will take defeat lying down.

SEAC TOURNAMENT MAY BE QUITE A SHOW

The Southeast Alabama Conference basketball tournament starts next week in Kinston and looking at this year's field it should be one heck of a tourney. The New Brockton Gamecocks have to be the favorites and are definitely the team to beat, but the Brantley Bulldogs are rolling along undefeated and you can't count out the talented Goshen Eagles or the homestanding Kinston Bulldogs. The tournament was played to small crowds last year at New Brockton without Kinston (who was on suspension), but this year the event is back at the Bulldog court and you can bet the excitement will be back. See ya there!

COLLEGE BOWL SEASON IS OFF TO GOOD START

I watched a couple of bowl games during the Christmas holidays and while I didn't really care who won the games I'll admit the games were interesting. The Sun Bowl didn't have Alabama this year (for a change), but put on quite a show as Oklahoma State and West Virginia tied up in a shootout and the winner wasn't decided until the Mountaineers failed on a 2-point try with one minute left in the game. The Blue-Gray game was boring again, while the Aloha Bowl was better than expected as Florida put up a

good fight before losing to UCLA. My wife doesn't watch much television (lucky for me) and so I have plans to watch a lot more TV this week as the big bowls swing into action. Since the Sugar Bowl is on Friday afternoon I'll get to watch both Auburn and Oklahoma play, which is great for me because I like the Sooners and want to watch the Tigers show Syracuse how the game is played in the SEC!

ELBA'S GOOSBY A HOT ITEM FOR COLLEGE RECRUITS

Back when Kevin Goosby was at Elba he failed to get his high school diploma with his class, and while many thought the basketball star would simply quit school and hang around, Goosby took the GED test to get his diploma and then signed a scholarship with Grayson State Junior College in Texas. Last year Goosby led the state's junior colleges in scoring and was named the Player of the Year in the Texas junior college ranks. This year the former Elba standout is at it again and is currently averaging 24 points a game, despite playing in a junior college league that boasts five teams in the nation's top 20, and is being actively recruited by just about every college

I talked with Kevin last week during his break for the holidays and he stated that while he has already visited Missouri and Oklahoma, he was leaning to signing with Nevada-Las Vegas. Kevin did hint that he was interested in a visit to Auburn, but said he was happy out west and felt the style of play in Vegas suited his style.

I would like to see Goosby come back close enough for me to see him play, but I want him to go where he'll get to play and be happy, and I wish games:

IN CLOSING

The basketball season is nearing the midway point and that means it's about time for me to crank back up on my cage standings. This year I'll get a little help from a couple of my friends who see a lot of games and no matter what the state polls say, the Clipper Poll will tell you what's happening down in south Alabama. Get ready

BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

TUESDAY, JAN. 5

Elba at Clayton New Brockton Jr. at Dauphin (5:00)

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second shot and the game went into

the overtime as no less than three

fouls, and Zion Chapel took

Leon Coleman scored 33 points

ZC [80]: Haynes 5, Liptrot 5,

Elba [69]: Johnson 18, Kelley 2,

and hit five 3-point shots to lead the

:06 left on the clock!

knotted at 69-69.

The Zion Chapel Rebels erased a A 3-point shot by Scotty Lee cut 15-point deficit in the final four the Elba lead to 68-61 with less than minutes of the game to pull even and a minute to play, and when Lee then scored 11 unanswered points in nailed another bomb with :19 left, overtime to shock the Elba Tigers the Rebels were suddenly within 80-69, in the opening round of the 68-66. Coffee County basketball The Tigers called a time-out to tournament Monday night at the set up a play that they hoped would

The two cross-county rivals swapped buckets for much of the opening stanza as Elba's Leon layup and was fouled on the shot, Coleman and Zion Chapel's Scotty and then made the free-throw to give Lee took turns bombing from outside the Rebs a stunning 69-68 lead with the 3-point line.

Wynn Grimes hit a 3-pointer late in the quarter to put the Tigers on the free-throw line with :01 left with top 14-11, and when Jason Johnson a chance to give the Tigers a win and hit a free-throw at the 6:40 mark of calmly hit the front-end of a 1-and-1 the second quarter the Tigers had The Rebels refused to let Elba an extra period with the score pull away however, and behind the

play of Calvin Newsom Zion Chapel rallied to cut the lead to 26-24 midway through the stanza. A 3-pointer by the Rebels' Jeffery Flowers brought the Rebels advantage of the absence of the trio within 31-29 in the closing minute of to score at will and pull away to claim the half, and when the teams went in the 80-69 win.

at intermission it was the Tigers

ahead 33-29. Elba began to take command in Tigers, while Jason Johnson added the third quarter and behind the play 18 points. of Robert Wilson and Leon Coleman the Tigers stretched their lead 44-35. Elba's advantage went to 54-39 at the end of the quarter and the Tigers seemed to be in total control as they owned a big 62-47 lead with only 4:05 EL

left on the clock. While the Tigers seemed content Newsom 34, Lee 26, Boswell 6, with their lead, the Rebels weren't Moultry 4. about to give up, and with the aid of countless Tiger turnovers began a Wilson 6, Coleman 33, Magwood 1,

Enterprise & New Brockton Post B Team Wins

The first annual Coffee County Culver 4, Smith 5, Morris 1, Rugg 1, B-team tournament began Monday Downing 12, Downing 3, Dewberry night at the ESJC gym in Enterprise, with the Enterprise Wildcats and New Brockton Gamecocks posting New Brockton 44 opening round wins. Elba 37 opening round wins. Following are highlights of both

Zion Chapel pound Zion Chapel 68-46. The Wildcats jumped ahead 20-6 in the first quarter, stretched their

lead to 38-18 at the half and coasted to the impressive win. Kenneth Amos scored 13 points to lead Enterprise, while Jimmy Downing led Zion Chapel with 12.

E'prise [68]: Purvis 4, Crawford 2, Phillips 11, Lambert 12, Amos 13, Boland 2, Campbell 6, Petty 8, Z.C. [46]: Cole 10, Faison 2,

The Southeast Alabama Confer-

ence basketball tournament will be

School gym with eight teams com-

peting for the conference champion-

Monday night, Jan. 4., when the

New Brockton Gamecocks battle the

Highland Home Flying Squadron at

6:00, while at 7:30 the Red Level

Tigers will meet the Goshen Eagles.

Tuesday night, Jan. 5., at 6:00 with a

battle between the Brantley Bulldogs

and Zion Chapel Rebels, and at 7:30

into action when they meet the

Dozier Tigers.

night, Jan. 8, at 7:00.

NEW BROCKTON

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JAN. 5

the host Kinston Bulldogs will swing

scheduled for Thursday night, Jan.

7, at 6:00 and 7:30, with winners of

each night's action squaring off. The

championship game will be Friday

The opening round will resume

early 12-2 lead to grab a halftime lead, but couldn't hold on as the New 7, Boggan 10, Brooks 4, Brooks 2, Barnes 3. Gamecocks posted an The Gamecocks jumped out to a big 12-2 lead in the game and appeared to be headed for an easy

win, but the Tigers rallied behind the

play of Phil Boggan to grab a 19-18 halftime lead. New Brockton regained the lead late in the third quarter and held on to post the win. Phil Boggan scored 10 points to Elba High Gym. lead Elba, while Todd Boland poured in 22 for New Brockton and Chris

N.B. [44]: Gibson 2, Turner 10, Myers'2, Boland 22, Knox 2, Gouge

held next week at the Kinston High favorite in the annual tournament, good depth and have a legitimate

titles and finishing second twice.

on both ends of the court.

JAN. 8

SEAC TOURNAMENT

JANUARY 4 - 5 - 7 - 8

JAN. 7

their finest team in many years. The

power of Aubrey Wiley (6'3", 245)

Bulldogs are paced by the inside Walke

SEAC Basketball Tourney To Begin Next Week At Kinston

owned the affair!

clinch the win, but the Tigers Elba's Steve Magwood went to opportunity, but then misfired on the The Tigers were short-handed in starters sat on the bench with five Calvin Newsom scored 34 points to spark the Rebels and Scotty Lee 18 15 21 15 0 - 69

Elba's Jason Johnson looks to pass during Tiger basketball action. Elba was ousted from the County Tournament Monday night from but will return to action next week on Tuesday night when they travel to Clayton.

The Elba Tigers rallied from an 7, Boggan 10, Brooks 4, Henderson 7, Boggan 10, Brooks 4, Henderson

Don't Forget! Little League Basketball

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Goshen carried a 5-2 slate into

dethroning the Gamecocks; while the

Other teams in the field include

a team with talent and perhaps the

together under first-year coach Tom

The New Brockton Gamecocks, and the outside shooting of Wesley

The Gamecocks have made it to last week's tourney in Opp, and if

New Brockton is led by the senior Kinston Bulldogs are always

the finals of the tourney in each of the Eagles play up to their potential

the past five years, winning three they could also have a shot a

duo of Rocky Head and Stanley dangerous at home, and despite a

Foster, both 3-year starters who recent slump the Bulldogs could be a

Head is perhaps the area's top Highland Home, a much-improved

The undefeated Brantley Bull- state's most exciting shooter in Terry

3-point shot, and the sparkplug of squad with plenty of talent; Red

the Gamecock attack, while Foster Level, a perennial power that has

stands 6'3" and controls the boards been struggling this season; Dozier,

dogs could pose a serious threat to Daniels, who hit 11 three-point shots

New Brockton's plans for a fourth in a single game; and Zion Chapel, a

tourney crown and appear to have young team trying to put everything

ranked No. 1 in the state, are a heavy Person, but the talented 'Dogs have

and in recent years have practically shot at claiming the title.

have led the Gamecocks to numerous team to watch.

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Rebel Ramblings

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SENIOR CLASS QUOTES PART OF CANTERBURY TALES

By: OMA LEE BUNDY
Zion Chapel's senior class had to quote a part of the "Prologue to the Canterbury Tales." The class has been studying Middle English for almost three weeks. Mrs. Rhonda Brunson said, "Learning the Prologue to the Canterbury Tales heightens our awareness of the development of the English

ZION CHAPEL HAS VISITORS

Zion Chapel had some special visitors for lunch Thursday, Dec. 18. The honored guests were Supt. Clayton Bryant, Rep. Jimmy Holley and Revenue Commissioner Ronnie Burns. Along with the student body and faculty, they were served turkey and dressing, peach jello mold and a Christmas cookie shaped like Santa Claus. After lunch the guests were taken on a tour of the new fieldhouse at Zion Chapel and the newly renovated gym.

FHA AND FCA WORK ON CHRISTMAS PROJECT TOGETHER

By: LAVONIA JOHNSON A new VCR for Project Independence was the Christmas project for the Future Homemakers of America (FHA) and the Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA). Project Independence lost their VCR and a typewriter in a recent robbery at the school. The FHA and FCA have a Christmas project each year and this was one they happily worked on together. The FHA made a cash donation as a group and individual members also made donations. Some grandparents of FCA members joined the effort by soliciting donations

Members of both clubs made the trip to deliver the gift. They sang Christmas carols and gave each student a candy bag that had been decorated and filled with special treats. The staff and students at Project Independence served club members the traditional Christmas drink eggnog without the: "nog." FHA president Tammy Duncan and FCA president Stacy Faison

> SANTA PAYS AN EARLY VISIT TO ZION CHAPEL By: JACKIE PARRISH

Santa Claus left presents for 13 lucky young people at Zion Chapel. Beta Club members were Santa's elves and helped the recipients open their gifts and also served refreshments. Radios and remote control cars were big hits for the party. The children also played with other toys such as baby dolls, Matchbox cars, footballs, toy machine guns and various games. All of them received a box of color crayons and coloring book for Santa Claus.

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New Year Resolutions

By: JACKIE PARRISH "I wish all students at Zion Chapel School would use the verb 'to see' correctly," said Mrs. Rachel Bryan. "My New Year's resolution s to increase my efforts to correct the incorrect use of this verb." The World Book says that "In ancient Rome, the first day of the ear was given over to honoring lanus, the god of gates and doors and of beginnings and endings. The month of January was named after this god.

Janus had two faces and looked both ahead and backward. On the first day of the year Roman people looked back to what had happened during the past year and thought of what the coming year might bring. Over the centuries it has become the custom of people all over the world to look back at the past year and resolve to do better in the future. Chapel do their part to continue this

"I resolve to quit making New

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"I resolve to stay out of trouble." Rena Flowers "I resolve to do my best in whatever I do and I promise to make someone special to me happy throughout the ylear.' Jane Davis "I resolve to not take my fi

for granted." granted." Angela Rodgers
"I resolve to make 1988 the best year ever and spend more time with Wanda Barnhill "I resolve to be a nicer person and learn to control my temper. Melissia Stephins "I resolve to be able to let a certain someone know how much care in 1988." "I resolve to live one day at a time enjoying each passing Ms. Earline Coachman

every day when I come to school so certain people will not aggravate me and try to pull me apart. Lavonia Johnson "I resolve to be more organized and to get more exercise Mrs. Rhonda Brunson "I resolve to make my life

COFFEE COUNTY SCHOOLS

JAN. 4 - 8 BREAKFAST

Monday - Toast & Jelly, Bacon,

Wednesday - Pancakes with honey,

Monday - Spaghetti with meat sauce, Cole Slaw, Garlic Bread, Cheese Slice, Cherry Cobbler, Milk

Tuesday - Fried Chicken, Green

Wednesday - Hot Dog/Chili, Baked

Thursday - Sloppy Joes, French Fries, Cheese Slices, Apple-sauce, Peanut Butter Cake, Milk

Friday - Steak Fingers, English

ALA CARTE

French Fries, Nachos/Cheese,

Tossed Salad, Lemonade or Fruit

Tuesday - Barbecue Sandwich Wednesday - Corn Dog

Thursday - Chicken Plate

Peas, Scalloped Potatoes, Ice Box

Beans, French Fries, Pineapple

Tomatoes/Rice, Pear

Tuesday - Cereal, Juice, Milk

Juice, Milk

Beans, Tomatoes Salad, Rolls, Milk

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The year's winners are: Tammy Duncan and Kendall Grissett - Most Popular and Best Dressed; Wanda Barnhill, Michelle McLendon, Kim Pearson and Don Rhoden - Wittiest; Michelle Oglesby and Jamie Duncan -Cutest Couple; Lavonia Johnson and Sean Collins - Cutest; Tammy Duncan, David Jackson and Mark Bell - Best All-around; Shannon Jinright and Pete Bryan - Most School Spirit; Thomas Boswell and Shannon Jinright - Most Athletic; Gayle Pyfrom and Wayne Davis - Most Intellectual/Most Likely To succeed; Tammy Duncan and Jamie Duncan - Best Figure and Physique; Todd Rugg and Tammy Duncan - Friendliest; Michelle Oglesby and Pete Bryan - Most Typical Teenagers; Melody Bray, Lisa Holcomb and Stacy Faison - Most Dependable; Camille Marler and Kenneth Marler - Most Bashful; and Jackie Parrish and Cade Shiver - Most Talented.

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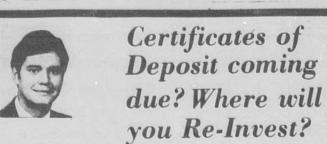
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> In accordance with the judgment of the Circuit Court of Coffee County made and entered in this cause on November 30, 1987, I, Jim Ellis, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Coffee County, Alabama, will on the 21s day of January, 1988, at 11:00 A.M. at the front door of the Coffee County Courthouse in Elba, Alabama, sell to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described real estate:
> Fraction "K" of Section 36,
> Township 5 North, Range 20 East of St. Stephens Meridian in Alabama, containing 37 acres and 15/100 of an acre, according to the official plat of the survey of said land returned to the General Land Office by the Surveyor General. Said land being further described in the Coffee County Revenue Commissioner's office as 34 acres, more or less being a parcel in NE1/4 of SW1/4 Section 36, Township 5, Range 20, Coffee County, Alabama.

The purpose of the sale is for the

MADELINE P. SMITH, et al,

proceeds to the joint owners after the payment of expenses of sale. Said sale shall be made subject to any existing easements, reservations and restrictions, if any, and current year This the 11th day of December,

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s/ JIM ELLIS Circuit Clerk Coffee County, Ala.

PUBLIC NOTICES

BECAUSE THE PEOPLE MUST KNOW

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF GLEN L. CREECH, IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA ELBA DIVISION

CASE NO. CV 83-69 ORDER FIXING DAY FOR HEARING

1987, came Gloria Christian guardian for Glen L. Creech, er Petition for Final Settlement of and decreed by the Court that the 14 day of Jan., 1988, at 9:30 A.M. at the Coffee County Courthouse, Elba,

On this the 8th day of December

Alabama, be and the same hereby is time for the hearing on the said It is further ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Court that notice f the day and time fixed by the Court for this settlement be given by oosting same at the Courthouse door and at three other public places in said County for more than eighteen 18) consecutive days, or by adver tisement once each week for three (3) consecutive weeks in The Elbs Clipper, a newspaper published in said County; and also that notice be given to USF&G Insurance Company

by citation, as required by law, of the day and time fixed by the Court for earing on the said final settlement.

DONE this the 8 day of Decem-/ TERRY L. BUTTS

LEGAL NOTICE WILLIE PEARL SMITH DECEASED PROBATE COURT

Circuit Judge 12-17-3tc

ELBA DIVISION estate of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 22nd day of December, 1987, by the Hon. Marion B. Brunson, Judge of the Probate Court of Coffee County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present

the same within time allowed by law

s/ HARREL E. SMITH Executor 12-31-3tc

or the same will be barred.

STATE OF ALABAMA PIKE COUNTY

Default being made in the conditions of the Mortgage executed by Mary E. Downing Jones, Mavis D. Ashley and husband, Jimmy Ashley, to The First National Bank of Brundidge and recorded April 29, 1981, in the Office of the Judge of Probate, Coffee County, Alabama, in Probate, Coffee County, Alabama, ir Mortgage Book 71-A, Pages 479-81 said Mortgagee to realize the entire indebtedness thereby, will, on the 14 day of January, 1988, between the legal hours of sale at the Courthouse Door of Coffee County, Alabama, Elba Division, under the powers contained in said Mortgage, sell at auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following described

property: One lot or parcel of land together with all improvements located thereon and described as follows: Begin at the Northeast corner of John Downing lot and joining New Hope and Roeton Road and run in a northerly direction a distance of 105 feet along right of way of said road, thence westerly direction a distance of 420 feet, thence southerly direction 105 feet to John Downing lot, thence in an easterly direction 420 feet along line of John Downing lot to point of

Less and except a parcel of land containing 0.03 acres, more or less, conveyed by Lloyd Downing to Kenneth M. Sanders and wife, Suzanne J. Sanders by warranty deed dated November 16, 1974, recorded in Deed Book 66-A, at page 649, in office of Judge of Probate, Elba, Coffee County, Ala.

The above described lands lie and are a part of the SW 1/4 of SE 1/4 of Sect. 15, T/S 7N, R22E, Coffee

County, Ala.

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County conveyed by of the same property conveyed by George M. Prestwood and wife to Lloyd Downing and Mary Downing, by warranty deed dated August 16, 1967, and recorded in Deed Book 47-A at page 75 in the office of Judge of Probate Coffee County, Ala. Said sale is made for the purpose of paying the mortgage debt, and costs and expenses of foreclosure.

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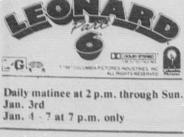
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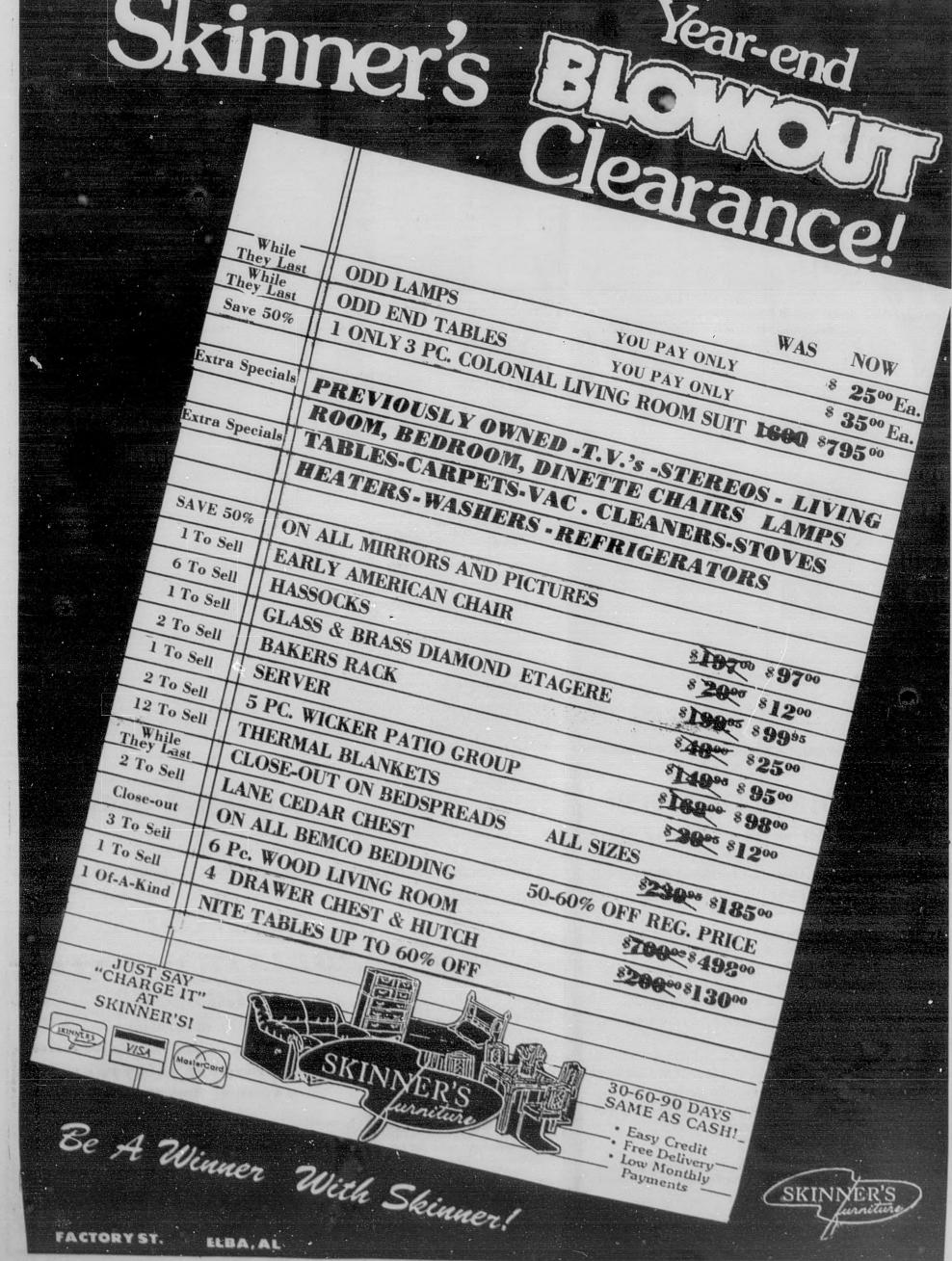
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Nursing Home Spotlight

With Shirley Wise

We're visiting Mrs. Pearlie Flay Tindol Lowry this week, a most When I asked an aide at the nursing home, in her presence, if she could believe Miss Pearlie was 84 emphatically spoke up and informed me that she was only 83! Ha! I quickly begged her pardon on that! Miss Pearlie is most alert, "bright as a penny" and "cute as a button" with a quick wit. We both agreed that she is truly blessed - to be 83 y s of age, and in such comparat ly good physical, as well as mental, health.

To be exact and to keep the

record straight, Miss Pearlie was born Nov. 3, 1904, in the New Hope Community, one of three children born to Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Tindol. Mrs. Tindol was the former Miss Lanie Baker. Isn't that an unusual and pretty name - Lanie. Mr. Charlie was a farmer and Miss Lanie was a

Speaking of names, when we asked Miss Pearlie about her unusual middle name, "Flay," she told us her future husband'sa grandmother, Samantha Lowry, named her. She has a daughter named Easter Flay, so named because she was born on Easter Sunday and Dr. E.G. Bragg, the attending physician,

The two siblings of Miss Pearlie, both of whom are deceased, were Vallie Lee, who died at the age of 16, from blood poisoning, as the result of a cousin pricking a pimple on her face with a pin. (Now I understand John (Pike Co.), Monticello, (Pike why my three won't allow me to Co.), and Jokwin (Pike or possibly "just let me press it one little time" - Crenshaw Co.). their pimples!), and Danny, who died suddenly with a paralysis at the 12, 1984.

Jim, who was married to the late
Mitt Lowry. An interesting note, and I hope I get it straight - for, as
Miss Pearlie's oldest child,
Charles, died this past August of cancer. He was a resident of we enjoyed meeting and visiting all might end up heins.

years of marital bliss!

Miss Pearlie's oldest child,
Charles, died this past August of cancer. He was a resident of Pensacola, Fla and was married to the late Charlie, all of whom are deceased, passed away - means they shared 64 Jim Tindol, married her husband's aunt, Miss Mitt Lowry, and after the deaths of Miss Mitt and Miss Pearlie's father Charlie, her mother married Miss Pearlie's Uncle Jim, her father's brother, which, of son James Edwin, plays guitar with

Jack, who was married to the late Ora Martin; Bill, who was married to seen him perform, she replied, the late Molly Folsom; Jesse, who "Only on television - except when he was married to the late Lizzie was a little boy, he was always Boutwell; Matilda, who was married All the above lived in the

The brothers and sisters of Miss Lanie, all of whom are deceased, are: Lum, who was married three times and was living in Skipperville at the time of his death; Porter, who resided in Birmingham with his wife; Jim, a resident of the Spring Hill Community with his wife; Nancy, who lived in the Victoria Community also deceased; Nettie Whittington, who lived in Tarentum with her

husband, and Luia Smith, who lived in Opp with her husband. On May 1, 1920, Miss Pearlie was wed to Beresford F. Lowry, who was born July 19, 1900, one of five children born to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Alonzo "Pad" Lowry. Mrs. Lowry was the former Ada Whittaker. Mr. Pad was a farmer and Miss Ada a

The brothers and sisters of Mr.

Lowry are: Ora, who resides in Elba with her husband, Ezra Kelley; Itier, They have four children and one who was married to the late Ezra Martin, and who makes her home in Dublin, Ga.; (another unusual name Itier - I love unusual names!); Bonnie Mae, who was married to the late Elma Maddox, and was a resident of Orlando, Fla., until her death this past summer; and Berlin, deceased, who was married to the former Mattie Maude Waters, who now resides in Level Plains, after moving from Tampa, Fla., after the death of Mr. Berlin.

Mr. Beresford was a Baptist preacher, and preached for 50 years. think this was extraordinary, especially back in the days when preachers received very little monetary assistance; and he and Miss Pearlie reared and educated eight children on his salary! And all eight have done exceedingly well, as we shall see shortly! I salute the Lowry family -- all of you!

Miss Pearlie recalled the lean times when her husband would be given one or two chickens, some home-canned food, and/or fresh vegetables as payment; the times he walked, rode a horse, or traveled in a 'Hoover cart' (How many of you remember one of those?) And, finally the congregation of St. John gave him a Model-T. "But through it all, we made it - with the Good Lord's help," she stated firmly and

family - I hope Lois Jones Holt won't mind my sharing this. Her father, the late R.K. Jones, was a Methodist minister for over 45

with assurance!

years, and he and his wife, the former Leila Mae Tate, also deceased, reared and educated 13 children on a Methodist preacher's salary back in those lean days! Lois has some amusing, heart-

warming and poignant stories she shares sometimes. One of these I always get a chuckle over, and can vividly imagine - is the one about all 15 Joneses going someplace on - get this - one car! My three squeal if by share a seat in a car. Don't the times



When we asked our three favorite Also, I'd like to note that out of the 13 "Jones" kids, 11 have college degrees, and one has 2½ years of college. The old maxim, "Where there's a will, there's a way," most what would it be?;" and "What surely applies here! would be your advice to people today?;" she replied respectively: "No, I don't know that I would change anything or do anything different;" "I'd wish for all my family to stay well and live right, live Christian lives;" and "Live for the ge of 27.

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all might end up being our own grandpa!", Miss Pearlie's uncle, Pensacola native. He was a radio and perhaps will visit her and all the repairman. Miss Lucille is employed

with a company in Pensacola. They were the parents of two children (she has no grandchildren.) An interesting thing to me - their course, was Miss Lanie's brother-in-law. Confused? the Oak Ridge Boys - his proud grandmother told me, "He can play anything he wants to - he's very

When we asked if she'd ever singing. I'd play the piano and he'd to the late Bill Weatherford; and sing. I played the piano for my husband when he was preaching." When we asked if James Edwin ***Forgiveness saves the expense of vicinities of the Folsom Bridge and inherited his musical ability from anger, the cost of hatred and the her, she said both sides of the family. Tindols and Lowrys, were musically

> Ouida was married to B.J. Hall, deceased, a native of the New Hope Community. Miss Ouida is a sitter for elderly folks and Mr. B.J. was employed with the railroad. She resides in Ellentown, Fla. They were the parents of three

children, one of whom is deceased, and three grandchildren. Mary is married to Judge Payne a native of the Ozark/Newton area. They reside in Newton. Mary is retired from the telephone company and Mr. Judge is a retired mail carrier at Ft. Rucker. They are the

parents of two children and have four Edna Dean, or as she is better known, "Billy," resides in Sanders ville, Ga., with her husband, Dr. Bob Bickham, a native of Auburn. She is a dental hygienest and also helps her husband with his veterinary practice.

The fifth child is Jack, who lives in Jacksonville, Fla., with his wife, the former Elvira Cole, a native of the state of Washington. He employed with the telephone company and she is a homemaker. They are the parents of four children and have five grandchildren. The sixth child is the aford mentioned Easter Flay, who, with her husband, Marvin Logan, an Oneonta native, reside in Oneonta.

Flay is a music teacher and Marvin owns a florist shop. They have one child and no grandchildren. Fran is married to Bill Turner, a native of the New Hope/Victoria Community. They reside in Phenix City where Fran is employed with Opelika Industry located in Phenix City, and Bill is employed with Colonial Bread. They have two children and no grandchildren.

The "baby" is B. Frank, who resides on a Jack route with his wife, the former Christine Boswell, ar Elba native. B. Frank works with Dorsey Trailers and Christine i employed at Ft. Rucker. They have two children and no grandchildren. Counting the above gives Miss Pearlie 20 grandchildren and 13

great-grandchildren. She is lovingly called "Mama Lowry" and "Maw Maw" by them. Miss Pearlie is a member of the Zion Chapel Baptist Church. She said "blue" is her favorite color; "rose" her favorite flower;

"spring and summertime" her favorite seasons, "because the weather is so pretty;" her favorite holiday "Easter, because it's getting close to spring;" she says her hobbies are "sewing, doing quilts, working outside in the garden and yard, I enjoyed cooking pretty well, I like to go fishing."

When asked if she ever caught any "big" ones, she laughed and replied, "No, I never did catch any big ones, but it was fun catching the little ones!" Guess that is most fishermen's sentiment!

David Carpenter

Completes Avionics

Course At Ft. Gordon

Spec. 4 David C. Carpenter, son of R.C. and Annie P. Carpenter of Rt. 1, Elba, has graduated from the avionics navigation equipment repair course at Ft. Gordon, Ga.

The course provides instruction for students to perform support and depot maintenance on navigation and flight control equipment. During the training, soldiers received instruction to repair faulty circuit boards and to maintain equipment records, authorized spare parts, supply stock and technical He is a 1981 graduate of Elba

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Paula Adkins of Elba looks over the course selections offered winter quarter at Enterprise State Junior College. Registration continues at ESJC through January 4, and classes will begin Jan. 5. Call 347-2623 for more information. Paula is a 1987 graduate of Elba High School.

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